

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Jerome D. Johnson
 For: COMPUTER-ASSISTED PARTS SALE METHOD
 Docket No.: 7709.18US03
 Filed: October 12, 1993
 Examiner: R. Bayerl

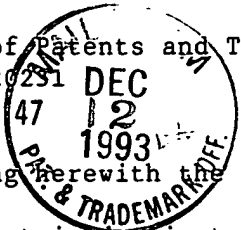
Serial No.: 08/133,986
 Due Date: January 12, 1994
 Group Art Unit: 2301

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
 Washington, D.C. 20231

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☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.

☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27.

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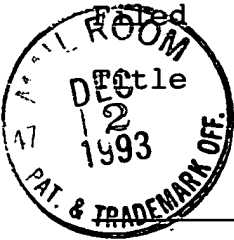
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

With regard to the above-identified application, Applicant is aware of the following references. The Applicant wishes to call these references to the attention of the Examiner to satisfy the disclosure requirements. A copy of the references are enclosed for the Examiner's review (see attached form).

U.S. Issued Patents

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Other Documents

Case IH Parts Counter Merchandiser cover sheet and table of contents, April 1990.

JI Case Parts Price List, Vol. 1, (2 pp.), March 2, 1992.

Read Me First, CaseIH Operators Manual, CWC, Inc., 2/89, pp. 1 to 7-12.

Read Me First, Cass Parts Guide, CWC, Inc., 6/88, pp. 1-23.

Engine Oil Filter Parts Drawing, 5/14/80.

Fuel Filter and Fuel Pipes Parts Drawing, 5/14/80.

It is believed that the instant application includes claims which are patentably distinguishable from the art cited above and consideration and allowance of the claims is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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